

In the Claims:

1.(original) A portable device for dispensing a fragrance comprising:
a housing containing a fragrance element;
at least one aperture in a side of the housing in the vicinity of one end of the housing to release the fragrance from the housing;
and means to selectively open and close the aperture which is a lid pivotally attached to the housing wherein the lid is movable from a closed position where the lid covers the aperture to seal the device to an open position where the aperture is uncovered;
the one end being shaped to abut the lower end of a users nose such that in use the fragrance can be inhaled through the aperture to the nasal passage of the user.

2.(currently amended) A device according to ~~as claimed in~~ claim 1 wherein the lid in its open position rests against the side of the housing adjacent to the aperture such that in use the lid prevents the aperture of the device from coming into contact with the top lip of the user.

3.(currently amended) A device according to claim 1 ~~as claimed in claim 1 or 2~~ wherein the one end has a catch to provide an audible "click" as the lid passes over the catch.

4.(currently amended) A device according to claim 1 ~~as claimed in any one of the preceding claims~~ wherein the one end has a central recess to accommodate the septum of the user.